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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 6, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**In the Claims**

Cancel claims 27-32 without prejudice as being drawn to a non-elected invention pursuant to Applicants' Response to Restriction Requirement Without Traverse dated September 25, 2001.

Cancel claims 23-26 and 33-47 as being drawn to a non-elected species.

Add new claims 48-69 which read as follows:

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48. (New) A roll of uncreped throughdried tissue having a roll bulk of 16 cubic centimeters or greater per gram and a roll firmness of 8 millimeters or less.
49. (New) The roll of tissue of claim 48 wherein the roll firmness is about 7 millimeters or less.
50. (New) The roll of tissue of claim 48 wherein the roll firmness is about 6 millimeters or less.
51. (New) The roll of tissue of claim 48 wherein the roll firmness is from about 4 to about 7 millimeters.

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